

FREEDOM CHURCH

AMERON PARK

TODAY'S DATE MARCH 9, 2025

SERVICE TIMES 9 & 10:30 AM

NURSERY (BIRTH-4) | KIDS (K-6) & YOUTH (6-12) Opens at 10:15 AM | Dismissed after worship



FRIEND ZONE

PART 1

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FRIEND OF GOD: FRIEND ZONE

PART 1



A FRIEND OF GOD: an active relationship that involves depth and trust.

Three levels of relationship with God:

from a distant

• walks in
• pursues personal with God
Isaiah 41:8 "But you, O Israel, my servant, Jacob, whom I have chosen, you descendants of Abraham my friend"
When God is your friend, His become yours and your concerns become
James 2:23 "And the scripture was fulfilled that says, "Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteousness," and he was called God's friend."
Friendship with God is in God without first having in God
God is with people who live by
SYNERGEŌ- Synergy is when two or more things work to create something than the sum of their individual parts.

Genesis 22:1-2 Some time later God tested Abraham. He said to him. "Abraham!" "Here I am," he replied. Then God said, "Take your son, your only son, Isaac, whom you love, and go to the region of Moriah. Sacrifice him there as a burnt offering on

one (of the mountains I will tell you about."
51	things a friend of God has
1	A FRIEND OF GOD KNOWS HIS
2	FRIENDS OF GOD LET THEIR FAITH INFLUENCE
3	FRIENDS OF GOD KNOW HIS
We I	earn the character of God by the of God
4	FRIENDS OF GOD WALK IN THE OF GOD
5	FRIENDS OF GOD EXPERIENCE

Romans 5:10-11 For since our friendship with God was restored by the death of his Son while we were still his enemies, we will certainly be saved through the life of his Son. So now we can rejoice in our wonderful new relationship with God because our Lord Jesus Christ has made us friends of God.

DISCUSSION IGNITERS

- Talk about the 3 different levels of relationship with God.
 - What would ones' life look like that is only a "fan" of God?
 - How would things change by becoming a "follower" of God?
 - Can you see a difference in becoming a "friend of God"?
- What was the one act that Abraham did that caused God to call him his friend? Read **James 2:21.**
- What is significant about this particular act of obedience that made such a difference in Abraham's life?
- Is there anything in your life that you would refuse to give up if God asked you to?
- Read **John 10:27.** How do you hear God's voice? If you don't recognize it, how can you develop ears to hear him?
- How can someone discover the character of God? Many people make up a god in their own mind that is not really God. What would that practice of making up your own view of God be called?
- How would you describe what the "fear of the Lord" is?
- On Mount Moriah, God provided a ram to be the sacrifice instead of Isaac. What did God provide hundreds of years later in that exact same area as a sacrifice for us?

THE LATEST



FRIENDS & FAMILY DAY

After 2nd Service Join us for fun, fellowship & food



GRAND PARENTS UNITED

10:00 AM in Freedom Church Café 6 week class - see Marilyn Halk for info



PRAYER NIGHT

7:00 PM - 8:00 PM **▼** Freedom Church Sanctuary



MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM ▼ Freedom Church Café



BGMC FUNDRAISER

Order a Corned Beef Sandwich Meal - \$15 Place order in lobby and support BGMC



CHURCH CLEANUP

All ages & abilities come help us tidy up inside and out to keep our church beautiful

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT STEPS (GROWTH TRACK 101)

March 30 after 2nd Service Whether you're new here or been coming for a while, Growth Track can help you get connected and find your ideal serving place at Freedom Church. Sign up next week..



LIFEGROUPS

If you haven't joined a lifeGroup yet, don't wait! Right now there are six different groups to choose from. Check out the connect wall in the lobby for a list of the current groups and to sign-up!

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